

In the Claims:

Please amend Claims 2, 6, 18, and 20 and cancel claims 4, 9-17, 19, and 20-22 without disclaimer or prejudice. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1. (original) A tabletop game, comprising:  
a playing surface;  
a sidewall surrounding at least a portion of the playing surface;  
the playing surface comprising a base and a light reflective surface coupled to the base;  
the light reflective surface comprising a design; and  
an upper light source arranged above the light reflective surface, such that light from the light source illuminates the design in the light reflective surface.
2. (currently amended) The game according to claim 1, wherein the design comprises placing non-reflective material on the playing surface.
3. (original) The game according to claim 1, wherein the design simulates at least one of a hockey rink, a basketball court, a football field, and a soccer field.
4. (cancelled)
5. (original) The game according to claim 1, wherein the reflective surface has at least one portion with a first reflectivity and at least one portion with a second reflectivity and the first reflectivity and the second reflectivity are different.
6. (currently amended) The game according to claim 1, wherein the reflective surface ~~is noncontiguous~~ comprises a plurality of noncontiguous reflective surfaces coupled to the base.
7. (original) The game according to claim 6, wherein the playing surface further comprises at least one light transmissive portion.
8. (original) The game according to claim 1, wherein the light reflective surface reflects light over a majority of the playing surface.

9-17. (cancelled)

18. (currently amended) A tabletop game, comprising:

a playing surface;

means for ~~illuminating~~ brightening the playing surface; and

a design in the playing surface, wherein the means for ~~illuminating~~ brightening the playing surface for ~~illuminates~~ brightens the design.

19. (cancelled)

20. (currently amended) The game according to claim 18, wherein the means ~~illuminating~~ brightening the playing surface includes a reflective layer.

21-22. (cancelled)